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Hon. Loretta A. Preska United States District Court Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street New York, New York 10007

Re: United States v. Noorullah Zadran (04 CR 1185)

Dear Judge Preska:

Please accept this correspondence as my formal request for an Order to be relieved as defense counsel in the above-referenced criminal action. I have represented the defendant, Noorullah Zadran, in an 'of counsel' capacity to Omar Mohammedi, Esq. since February 2005.

Mr. Mohammedi submitted an application to be relieved as counsel in this matter on March 29, 2005. I join in Mr. Mohammedi's application in its entirety and respectfully request that an Order be entered, if necessary, relieving my firm of any duties as counsel to Mr. Zadran.

Respectfully Submitted,

/S/

Armani B. Scott (AS 8751)

cc: Noorullah Zadran Omar Mohammedi, Esq. AUSA Stephen Miller, Esq.